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Title: USE OF HYDROXYDIPHENYL ETHER CLASS OF CHEMICALS, AS EXEMPLIFIED BY TRICLOSAN, AS AN ANTIMALARIAL

AND IDENTIFICATION OF FATTY ACID SYNTHESIS AS ITS

TARGET

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)

A two (2) month extension of time, from April 3, 2005 to and including June 3, 2005 is requested to respond to the Office Action dated January 3, 2005 in the above-referenced application. A check in the amount of \$225.00 is enclosed to covering the fee for this extension of time.

Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayments that may be required to our Deposit Account No. 03-1721.

Respectfully submitted,

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